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Owner's Manual
Please read before using this equipment.

This rogue rules the road!

Road Rogue



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□ Introduction

Your RadioShack Road Rogue tank is built to handle the road in style, whether the road is the hallway in your house or the sidewalk outside. The tank's super-size wheels handle the rough spots. Built to $1/10$ scale, it can reach speeds of up to 800 feet per minute.

THE FCC WANTS YOU TO KNOW

Your tank or transmitter might cause TV or radio interference even when it is operating properly. To determine whether your tank or transmitter is

causing the interference, turn off the tank and release the control levers. If the interference goes away, your tank is causing it.

Try to eliminate the interference by:

- moving your tank and transmitter away from the TV or radio
- contacting your local RadioShack store for help

If you cannot eliminate the interference, the FCC requires that you stop using your tank.

□ Preparation

INSTALLING BATTERIES

Cautions:

- Use only fresh batteries of the required size and recommended type.
- Never leave dead or weak batteries in the tank or the transmitter.
- If you do not plan to use the tank for several days, remove the batteries. Batteries can leak chemical that can damage electronic parts.

- Dispose of batteries promptly and properly; do not bury or burn them.

In the Tank

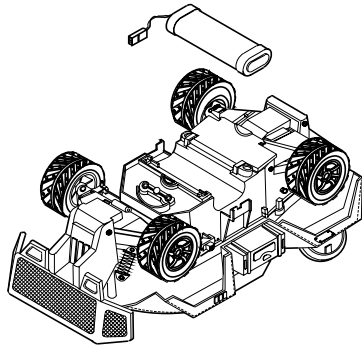
Your tank uses a 7.2-volt rechargeable battery pack (not supplied). You must charge the battery pack with a battery charger before you can use it to power your tank. Follow the charger's instructions to charge the battery pack.

1. Slide **ON/OFF** on the left side of the tank to **OFF**.

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2. Turn the latch on the battery compartment cover counter clockwise until it stops, then lift up the cover.
3. Place the battery pack in the compartment so the wires from the pack slide down into the slot on the right side of the compartment.



4. Attach the battery pack's white plastic connector to the tank's matching connector. Do not force them together. They fit only one way.

Caution: Be sure the connectors and wires are positioned so they do not touch any of the tank's moving parts.

5. Replace the cover and turn the latch clockwise to secure it.

When the tank moves slowly or does not move at all, recharge the tank's battery pack.

Note: Occasionally, fully discharge the battery pack before you recharge it. Otherwise, the battery pack loses its ability to fully charge.

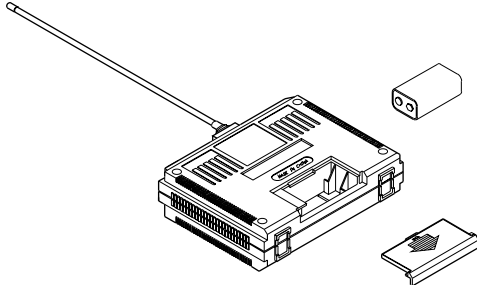
Important: The EPA certified RBRC® Battery Recycling Seal on the nickel-cadmium (Ni-Cd) battery indicates RadioShack is voluntarily participating in an industry program to collect and recycle these batteries at the end of their useful life, when taken out of service in the United States or Canada. The RBRC program provides a convenient alternative to placing used Ni-Cd batteries into the trash or the municipal waste stream, which may be illegal in your area. Please call 1-800-THE-SHACK (1-800-843-7422) for information on Ni-Cd battery recycling and disposal bans/restrictions in your area. RadioShack's involvement in this program is part of the company's commitment to preserving our environment and conserving our natural resources.



In the Transmitter

The transmitter requires one 9-volt battery (not supplied). For the best performance and longest life, we rec-

ommend using a RadioShack alkaline battery.



1. Press **OPEN** on the battery compartment's cover, and slide it in the direction of the arrow marked on it to remove it.

2. Put the battery in the transmitter as indicated by the polarity symbols (+ and -) marked inside.

3. Replace the cover and snap it in.

When the transmitter's range decreases, replace the battery.

INSTALLING THE TANK'S ANTENNA TUBE

To ensure that the tank receives all signals from the transmitter, you must set up the antenna properly.

1. Route the antenna wire's loose end through the plastic antenna tube.
2. Insert the tube securely into the vehicle's antenna tube holder.

□ Operation

DRIVING THE ROAD ROGUE

Warning: Never play with your Road Rogue in the street.

Caution: Do not drive the Road Rogue in puddles, on a wet floor, on sand, or in mud, rain, or snow. These can damage it.

1. Slide **ON/OFF** on the left side of the tank to **ON**.
2. Use the transmitter's control levers to steer the tank.

Left Control Lever

- Push forward to move forward.
- Pull back to move backward.
- Release to stop.

Right Control Lever

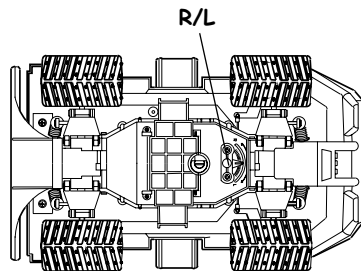
- Push left to move left.
- Push right to move right.
- Release to go straight

Caution: If the tank gets stuck under an object, immediately release the control levers and retrieve the tank.

When you finish driving the tank, slide ON/OFF to OFF.

Adjusting Wheel Alignment

If the tank does not go in a straight line when you release the right control lever, adjust the wheel alignment control on the bottom of the tank.



Turn the control toward L (left) if the tank is pulling to the right, or toward R (right) if the tank is pulling to the left.

HELPFUL HINTS

The following hints can help you get the most enjoyment from your tank.

- Running your tank continuously for long periods generates high heat

levels. Heat causes the most wear and tear on the motor. To help keep heat levels down, when your tank's battery power dies, let the tank cool for at least 10 minutes before installing new or newly charged batteries.

- If the tank's motor runs but the tank does not respond to the transmitter, move closer to the tank and try again.
- If someone uses a CB nearby, it might interfere with control of the tank. If this happens, move the tank away from the CB.
- You cannot operate your tank near devices with transmitters that use the same frequency (27 MHz or 49 MHz). Check the tank's packaging to see which frequency your tank uses.
- If the tank moves slowly, and you have recently installed a fully-charged battery pack, check the wheel mechanisms for lint, thread, hair or dust.

☐ CARE

To care for your Road Rogue so you can enjoy it for years:

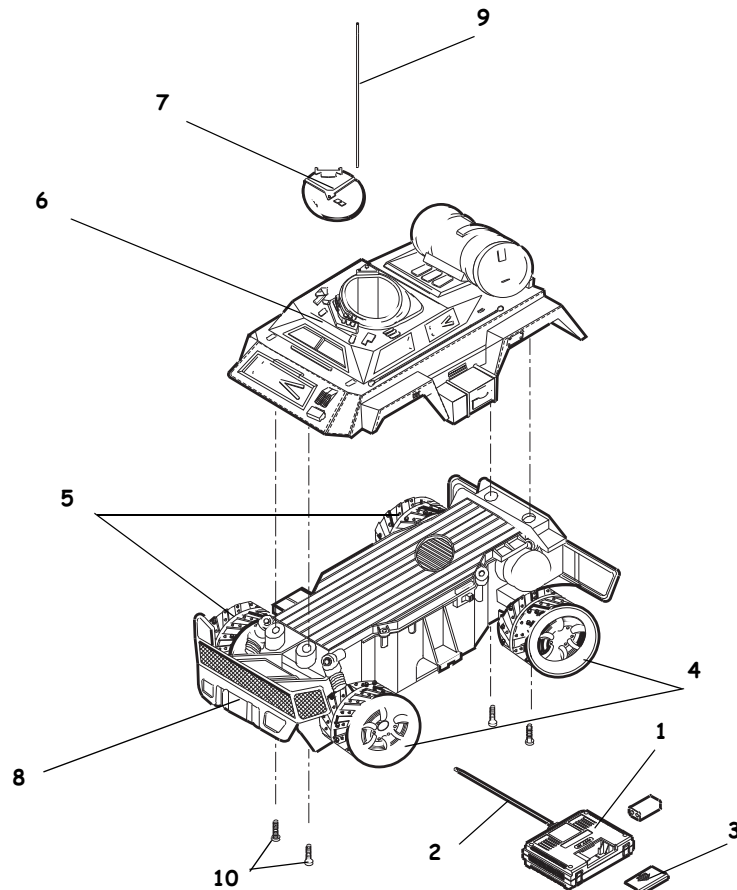
- Do not drive the tank through puddles or mud, on a wet floor, or in sand, rain, or snow. These can damage it.
- Do not expose the tank or transmitter to temperature extremes, and do not store them in direct sunlight or near a heat source.
- Do not leave the tank or transmitter outside overnight. Night dampness can damage their electronic circuits.

- To protect the tank's mechanisms from lint and hair, do not drive the tank on carpet.
- Wipe the tank and transmitter with a damp cloth occasionally to keep them looking new. Do not use harsh chemicals to clean them.

Modifying or tampering with the tank's or transmitter's internal components can cause a malfunction and might invalidate the tank's warranty and void your FCC authorization to operate it. If your tank is not performing as it should, take it and the transmitter to your local RadioShack store for assistance.

USER-REPLACEABLE PARTS

You can order replacement parts for your Road Rogue at your local RadioShack store. Simply identify the part(s) you need from the exploded view, then find the part number in the list.



USER-REPLACEABLE PARTS LIST

Ref. No.	Description	RSU No.
1	Transmitter: 27 MHz 49 MHz	12261673 12261681
2	Transmitter Antenna	10540490
3	Transmitter Battery Door	12261350
4	Left Tire	12261566
5	Right Tire	12261574
6	Body	12261582
7	Hatch	12265229
8	Front Bumper	12261590
9	Antenna Tube	10681781
10	Hardware Kit: 6 Metal Screws Washer	12265237
11	Car Battery Door (not pictured)	12261343
12	Owner's Manual (not pictured)	12261541
13	Service Manual (not pictured)	12261491

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